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For : SEALED PACKAGE OF FILM FOR PRODUCING  
FRAMED PHOTOGRAPHS  
Art Unit : 2404  
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Hon. Assistant Commissioner of  
Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

DECLARATION OF ROBERT T. TRICK  
PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.31

Sir:

I, Robert T. Trick, declare that I am the applicant in the  
above-identified application.

Appended hereto as Exhibit A is a copy of a photograph I  
produced using a Polaroid Instant Camera prior to January 2, 1990.

I made it by exposing the border of a Polaroid film unit with  
the center masked to prevent it from being exposed.

I then re-packed it along with other similarly partially exposed film units in the original Polaroid packing cassette.

Thereafter I put a border-mask on the cartridge of the film pack to overly what had been pre-exposed.

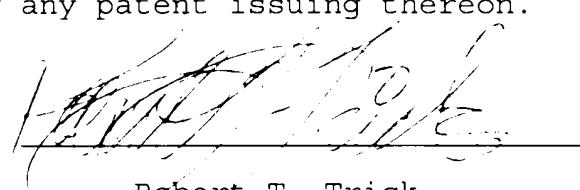
Then I took Polaroid shots with the partially pre-exposed film units, in conventional manner. This resulted in exposure of the centers in conventional manner.

As each film unit was ejected from the camera, both the pre-exposed border and the later-exposed center developed together, resulting in Exhibit A.

The undersigned declares further that all statements made herein of his own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

Date

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